

Table 8*NC Counties with Highest Percentages of Spoken Languages*

	English		Spanish		Asian		Other		Total	
NC County	N ¹	% ²	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
State total	6,910	92%	379	5%	13	<1%	200	3%	7,501	100%
Mecklenburg	561	87%		7%	5	<1%	34	5%	645	45,065
Jones	9	99%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	50	0.53%	9,360	100.00%
Caswell	21,300	73.30%	7,605	26.17%	0	0.00%	155	0.53%	29,060	100,00%
Orange	99,035	88.50%	5,880	5.25%	2,445	2.18%	4,550	4.07%	111,910	100.00%
Durham	179,175	86.46%	17,070	8.24%	1,945	0.94%	9,045	4.36%	207,235	100.00%

¹ Numbers represent thousands² Percents are rounded**Religion**

Another indicator of culture is the institution of religion. One segue to serving minorities is through their church. Therefore, we examined this topic using six categories (see Table 11). Evangelical Protestant (25.5%) is the most practiced religion followed by Mainline Protestant (14.5%) and Catholic (3.9%). The largest group is unclaimed (54.7%). A complete list of religions practiced in each county in NC is listed in Appendix C Table 8a.